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Subject: FW: Northrop-Grumman/Navy Bethpage RAB Meeting Last Week

Hi Jason,

It was certainly good to finally meet you and the new NYSDEC team. I'll note the positive statements by the water district reps as to recent NYSDEC efforts too. I also talked with Brian Caldwell and Lora Fly and with the Navy now having completed updating their VPB and monitoring well database, we plan to have a teleconference so both EPA and USGS can obtain the drilling data in a GIS compatible format. This is primarily for planning purposes only so we can create updated site maps for discussion. It should also be a way to save our own resources in converting the drilling data into GIS. I understand NYSDEC is planning to fund USGS for additional modeling, so they will appreciate having the updated data too.

I'm amenable to getting together to compare notes and suggest we start with an informal call at your convenience. Your agenda was a bit wide open. The primary groundwater & reporting focus has been on TCE. Are there other constituents that you are also tracking that might be useful to identify separate sources within the overall area?

I was involved a bit regarding the minor Radium detection awhile back and was aware NYSDEC did additional sampling. It was my understanding that NCDOH also provided some public supply well records. I was surprised to hear Bethpage Water state at the RAB meeting they still consider the entire well contaminated and "can't" decon it. The research outreach I conducted indicated it's a natural component throughout the Atlantic Coastal Plain, but I haven't seen any more data as to whether it is a continuing issue or at what levels in the "Bethpage" area.

As for 1,4 - Dioxane, my 'guesstimate' is it will not become an EPA MCL in the near future, so it would be up to NYS to consider if a regulatory limit is appropriate.

Enough for now,
Regards
Rob Alvey

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Rob:

Very nice to finally meet you last week.

What do you think about getting together at some point to compare notes on plume location, investigation history, and possible nearby sources?

Thanks
Jason

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